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Traffic Forecast: August 29 - September 4, 2013

& Information

Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday

Due to the Rim Fire, some roads within Yosemite are closed. Please see locations below for more information. For road closure information outside of the park, call Caltrans 1-800-427-7623. For road closure information inside the park, call 209-372-0200.

YOSEMITE NATIONAL PARK REMAINS OPEN!

Thursday: Traffic volumes are expected to be moderate. Smoke may be an issue due to the Rim fire outside of the west entrance to the

Friday: Anticipate traffic inbound to the park to be moderate with few delays at the entrance stations. Arrive early to avoid the possibility

Saturday/Sunday: Moderate traffic volumes can be expected between 10am and 3pm on Saturday with volumes tapering off on Sunday. Monday-Wednesday: Light traffic is to be expected with heaviest traffic outbound daily around the noon hour. No road work is planned which would impede travel.

Legend

29-Aug

30-Aug

31-Aug

1-Sep

2-Sep

3-Sep

Light Traffic



Moderate Traffic



Heavy Traffic

Average Traffic Conditions for This Week



Location Specific Information

Historical Daily Forecast Daily Averages Thu - 3.524 Fri - 3,929 Saturday \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \triangle \triangle \triangle \triangle \triangle \triangle \triangle \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc Sat - 5.192 Sunday \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \triangle \triangle \triangle \triangle \triangle \triangle \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc Sun - 5,478 Monday O O O A A A A A O O O O Mon - 4,083 Tuesday Tue - 3,675 4-Sep Wednesday Wed - 3,773

Yosemite Valley: The only access to Yosemite Valley is via Highway 140 from Merced or Highway 41 from Fresno. "The Valley" continues to be warm and dry. Traffic is expected to be light during the week with slightly heavier traffic over the weekend. Parking may be limited in Yosemite Valley in the afternoon over the holiday weekend. Check www.inciweb.org for Rim Fire

Daily Historical Daily Averages Forecast 29-Aug Thu - 1,118 Friday \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \triangle \triangle \triangle \triangle \triangle \triangle \triangle \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc 30-Aug Fri - 1.177 31-Aug Sat - 1,321 Sunday \bigcirc \bigcirc \triangle \diamondsuit \diamondsuit \diamondsuit \diamondsuit \diamondsuit \diamondsuit \triangle \triangle \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc 1-Sep Sun - 1,924 2-Sep 0 Mon - 1,749 Tuesday \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \triangle \triangle \triangle \triangle \triangle \triangle \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc Tue - 1,064 3-Sep Wed - 977

Tuolumne Meadows: The only access to the Tuolumne Meadows area is via Highway 120 from near Lee Vining. Expect some smoke on the highway due to the "Rim Fire". Visitors stopping and getting out of cars to view the "Rim Fire" along the Tioga Road corridor should be very cautious of moving traffic. Driving slower around roadside attractions and parking areas saves lives!

Daily Historical Forecast Daily Averages 29-Aug Thu - 1,542 Friday 30-Aug Fri - 1.698 31-Aug Sat - 1,912 Sunday \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \triangle \diamondsuit \diamondsuit \diamondsuit \triangle \triangle \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc 1-Sep Sun - 1,913 2-Sep Monday \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \triangle \triangle \triangle \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc Mon - 1,557 Tuesday 3-Sep Tue - 1,295 Wed - 1.258

Wawona and Mariposa Grove: Enjoy limitless scenic vistas while visiting the historic Wawona District! Lighter traffic is expected all week with the heaviest between 11am and 1pm. Consider arriving before 9am for the best parking spots. Some delays can be expected near the entrance station - watch for construction equipment and workers in the area. New entrance lanes and kiosks are being constructed!

No historical traffic information available at this time. Conditions in the Glacier Point corridor will likely be similar to Yosemite Valley and Wawona.

Glacier Point: Visitors can anticipate moderate to heavy traffic, especially on Saturday and Sunday between 11am and 1pm. Expect some short delays and congestion over the weekend on the Glacier Point Road and vicinity. Remember to bring your camera to capture some of most panoramic and beautiful vistas in the world including views of Yosemite Valley.

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Scan this code to view traffic information on-line, including current road conditions and information.



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